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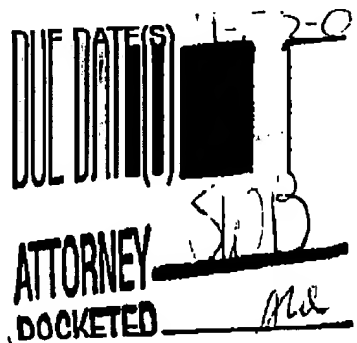
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Prodn. of fresnel lens - using transparent resin sheet and ultraviolet ray curable resin

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Abstract (Basic): JP 61177215 A

Prodn. of Fresnel's lense involves casting U.V. curable resin into Fresnel mould, which has internal face corresp. to Fresnel's lens, and in which transparent resin sheet is detachably set, and irradiating U.V. curable resin with U.V. rays for hardening, and thus making resin to polymerisation-adhere to transparent resin sheet set in mould for forming Fresnel' lens.

It is pref. that transparent resin sheet is acryl type or polycarbonate resin sheet, or that Fresnel mould comprises lower mould having internal Fresnel' lens face and upper mould with stepped portions, where internal face of stepped portion can fit closely to and detachably from transparent resin sheet and formed lens can be detached from mould.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Method gives Fresnel' lens useful as a member of optical system in video-projector with higher transparency as compared to conventional lens made of U.V. curable resin only. Cost is reduced due to use of transparent resin sheet. (3pp Dwg.No.1,2/2)

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